"The South 40"
by JAMES A. SMITH
EXTENSION AGENT

You can sure get on "thin ice" when you start comparing one growers crop with another. Most tobacco growers admit that the prospects for the '72 crop aren't particularly good. This is true throughout the tobacco belt, not just Appomattox County.

There is a lot of tobacco that I haven't seen, but Riley Megginson and Henry Mann have good looking dark tobacco crops.

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A wet spring and summer have increased the number of mosquitos. With warmer weather we can expect the problem to become worst.

Adult mosquitos breed in standing water-woodland pools, roadside ditches, bird baths, swimming pools, tin cans, old tires, clogged gutters and even tree holes.

The first step in control is non-chemical. Draining the water is a sound solution.

Wet areas that cannot be drained should be treated with Abate (Biothion). This is a granular material and is marketed as a 1-2 and 5% material.

For outdoor only there are two recommended materials 11% pyrethrins or malathion at the rate of 10 tablespoons in a gallon of fuel oil. These materials may be applied as a spray on adult resting areas, aerosol sprays or thermal fogs.

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In case you've forgotten it is illegal to feed either cooked or raw garbage to hogs in Virginia. Reason – it's part of the Cholera Control Program.

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IBR (Infectious Bovine Rhinotracheitis) has been identified in several Appomattox cow herds. Cattle in hard hit herds have been vaccinated.

Coughing, eye drainage, etc. are associated with this disease. Cows carrying calves can abort. Reports indicate that a number of abortations have occured and several adults have died.

If you suspect this disease contact your veterinarian.

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We've set up the final tobacco insect control test demonstration with Riley Megginson. He will be using Dipel on a portion of his crop.

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Sweet corn is in and there's no finer vegetable from the garden. Freezing for winter is a good way for extending its use.

Our Extension Home Economist says, "be sure that it's blanched in boiling water, large ears 11 minutes, small ear 7 minutes" She further points out that contrary to what Heloise says it's not advisable to attempt blanching corn in the home dishwasher unless there is a thermostat on the machine and you can be sure the water temperature is 212 degrees or above.

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If you suffered a casualty from the flood you can get relief of Federal and State Income Taxes. Refer to I.R.S. Publication 547 "Tax Information on Disasters Casualty Losses and Thiefs". This publication can be obtained from the Richmond office.

Don't attempt to claim loss of growing crops or raised livestock. These do not qualify as a casualty loss since it is a loss of anticipated income.

WEATHER REPORT

Last Week	3.95
Month of July	8.13
Normal for July	4.56
This Month	.27
This Year	41.22
Normal for This Year	28.19

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At Leadership Camp

Dickie Saunders of Halifax, on the left, Gary Thomas of Appomattox, center, and Mr. W. C. Dudley of Appomattox, on the right, left on Monday for Smithville, Virginia, where they will be attending Leadership Camp for members of Virginia State Association of Future Farmers of America.

Both Dickie and Gary are State FFA Officers. They will be meeting with other state officers for a week of Officer Training. Mr. Dudley will act as leader of the school.

While at Camp, the officers will receive training in manners, dress, as well as make speeches throughout the week. Truly this will be a week which will benefit the officers of the Virginia State Association of Future Farmers of America.

Wins HD Scholarship

Miss Lee Ann Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Young of Concord, was named winner of the Ella Agnew Scholarship for Nursing at the Annual Conference of Home Demonstration Clubs in Blacksburg. Miss Young plans to begin training this fall at Lynchburg General Hospital.

Accompanying her to VPI to accept the scholarship were her mother, Mrs. Frank Young, and Mrs. Franklin Foster, who is president of the Stonewall HD Club which Lee Ann belongs to.

She is certain that nursing is for her after experiences as a cadny striper at Lynchburg General. Appomattox is very proud of Lee Ann and wishes her the best success in her nursing career.

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A marriage of Miss Nancy Collins Cole to William Clem O'Brien took place Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Liberty Baptist church in Appomattox. The Rev. Richard C. Brackin, pastor of the church, officiated at the single ring ceremony. A program of nuptial music was played by Mrs. Joyce Vaughan, organist, and Mr. Charles Cole, soloist, of Richmond. The bride was escorted to the marriage by her father.

She wore a gown of silk organza taffeta and chantilly lace designed with an empire of lace, scalloped neckline, long tapered sleeves and a-line skirt with tiers of scalloped lace. A chapel length mantilla of lace and illusion was bordered in scalloped lace and was held by a pillbox of pleated organza and a white Bible with a white cattleya orchid surrounded by lily of the valley and stephanotis and tied with the same.

Miss Edward Fielding, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a floor length gown of yellow floral sheer nylon organza fashioned with a high waistline accented by a velveteen ribbon, sash, and a jewel neckline. Her headpiece was a matching bow. She carried two long-stemmed spider mums.

The attendants were Miss Betty Reid and Mrs. Stephen D. Godsey. They wore dresses of nile green, similar to the honor attendant, and carried a single spider mum.

Miss Beth Ann Caldwell was flower girl. She wore a dress and headpiece of nile green similar to the attendants and carried a basket of rose petals. Marvin A. Caldwell, Jr. was ring bearer.

Calvin E. O'Brien, brother of the groom, was best man, and ushers were John R. Cole, brother of the bride, Kenneth Ray O'Brien, brother of the groom, Freddie L. Thomas, all of Appomattox, and Jimmy D. Neighbors of Lynchburg.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Cole were hosts for a reception in the church Fellowship Hall.

The bride is a graduate of Appomattox High School and Phillips Business College. The groom is a graduate of Appomattox High School. After a wedding trip the couple will make their home in Appomattox.

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Social Notes

Mr. Tim Eldred of Sacramento, California recently spent the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gordon of Appomattox. Miss Virginia Gordon has just returned from a visit to Long Beach, California where she and Mr. Eldred spent a week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Eldred.

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B. B. Hubbard spent the week-end with E. W. Paulette.

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Mr. Sam Joe Paulette of Halifax and grandson Sam Burke of Lynchburg visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Paulette, Sr. on Saturday.

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Mrs. Bessie Hamlet is spending some time in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Blackwell, Sr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farrer of near Brookneal were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Farrar.

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Mrs. E. L. Harvey of Route 1, Appomattox, is spending some time in the home of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harvey of Richmond.

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Miss Paula Franklin spent several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Paulette Sr., and E. W.

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Mrs. L. O. Brown, Mrs. W. S. Moses and Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon, all of Roanoke were recent guests in the home of Mrs. Don Moses.

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Mrs. R. W. Knlerieur and her daughters have returned to their home in Cleveland, Ohio, after spending some time with Mrs. George White.

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Mrs. J. Whitney Evans left Monday for an extended visit with relatives in Nashville, Tennessee and Auburn, Alabama.

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Mrs. Scottie Woody of Richmond spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. R. L. Burke, Jr.

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Mr. Sammy Carter has been in Alliance, Ohio, on a week's business trip for Babcock and Wilcox Co. where he is employed.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Randolph Caldwell and son Dave, are spending this week at Virginia Beach.

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Mrs. Edna Blackwell has returned from a trip with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCormick of Roanoke from the TAW-TAR-A Resort on lake of Ozarks of Missouri; they also visited Mrs. Blackwell's sister, Mrs. Robert Craddock and family of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

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Mrs. Edna Blackwell spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. George Craddock and family of Virginia Beach, Va.

Rehearsal Party Honors Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Clem H. O'Brien were hosts at a reception after the wedding rehearsal of Miss Nancy C. Cole and Mr. William C. O'Brien in the Fellowship Hall of Liberty Baptist Church on Friday evening.

Those attending were the bridal party, members of the families and out-of-town guests.

MISS GEORGIE BELLE BRANNAN

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Brannan of Appomattox announce the engagement of their daughter, Georgie Bell, to Kenneth George Shufran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shufran of Philipsburg, Pa.

Miss Brannan is a graduate of Appomattox County High School and is currently stationed in the 5th Weather Wing at Langley AFB, Va.

Mr. Shufran is a graduate of Philipsburg - Osceila Area High School and holds a B. S. degree from California State College. He is also serving in the 5th Weather Wing at Langley AFB, Va.

The wedding is scheduledfor October 14 at the St. John's Russian Orthodox Church in Philipsburg, Pa.

Tea Honors Couple

Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds. Mrs. Betsy Lee Coleman, Mrs. Alice Martin, Mrs. Polly Inge, all of Lynchburg, and Mrs. Dot Coleman of Appomattox, were hostesses on Sunday afternoon, July 30th, when they entertained with a tea honoring Miss Brenda Coleman of Lynchburg and Mr. Michael Fidler of Parkersburg, West Virginia, from three until five p.m. in the Fellowship Hall at Trinity United Methodist Church, Concord.

An arrangement of seasonal flowers centered the serving table and the bridal motif was carried out throughout the room.

The marraige of Miss Coleman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Coleman of Lynchburg, to Mr. Fidler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny O'Neil of Dordrecht, Holland, formerly of Parkersburg, West Virginia will be an event of August 26th in Trinity United Methodist Church.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Marion Coleman, parents of the bride-elect, relatives and friends of the couple.

Wedding Breakfast Honors Miss Cole

Miss Nancy Cole was entertained at a wedding breakfast on Saturday morning at 10:30 a.m. by Mrs. Ella S. Anderson. Mrs. Anderson was assisted by Miss Elizabeth Burr, who was visiting her from Louisville, Kentucky.

The guests included the wedding party and out - of - town guests.

Miss Linda Rogers attended at the punch bowl and Mrs. Byron B. Cole served coffee.

Mrs. Bernice Gilbert, who has been a patient at the Virginia Baptist Hospital, has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Barbara Stanley.

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The Reverend and Mrs. Morgan John Hout, Casey, S. C., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hout, of Appomattox.

Rev. Hout is presently head coach at Harbor Christian Schools in West Columbia, S. C.

Howard M. Ferguson is improving at his home after undergoing treatment at Lynchburg General Marshall Lodge Hospitals, Lynchburg, Va.

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Mrs. J. P. Johnson returned home last week after visiting her son, Ralph and family, of Ashland for five weeks.

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Mrs. J. P. Johnson had as her guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lawrence, Mrs. Annie Evans and Mrs. Nettie Lawrence.

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Mrs. Audrey Ferguson and Miss Beverly Lou Davidson will leave by plane from Richmond on Sunday for an eight day trip to Hawaii.

Bride Elect Honored

A lingerie shower for Miss Wanda Ferguson, whose marriage to Dennis Doss will be an event of August 19th, was held at the home of Mrs. Crawford L. Davidson and Beverly Lou Davidson. Miss Davidson will be an attendant in the wedding. Among guests invited were Mrs. Harry Ferguson, mother of the bride; Mrs. Henry A. Doss, mother of the groom and Mrs. T. E. Woodson, grandmother of the groom.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Almond and children have returned home to Raleigh, N.C., after spending a week with Mrs. Almond.

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Miss Joyce Cyrus and Miss Debbie Paskhany arrived Saturday and will return home to Virginia Beach Wednesday.

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Sunday Mrs. Almond, Debbie and Joyce visited Mrs. Ila Langhorn, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Rowles, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cyrus and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dale in Roanoke.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richardson have returned home from an extended visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. J. R. Megginson, Jr. of Colorado Springs, Colo.

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Mrs. E. W. Morris and Children of Hampton, and Mrs. R. A. Giarett and family of New York City visited last week in the homes of Mrs. Katherine Carson and Mrs. Lester B. Harvey.

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Mrs. Eva Hayden of Richmond has returned home after spending several days with Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Sr.

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Mrs. Clara Mitchell is a patient at Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Coleman and family are vacationing at Myrtle Beach.

Four Generations

Four generations of Torrences attended last year's Annual reunion which is held each year on the third Sunday in August at the Woodman Building in Appomattox.

This year's reunion will be Sunday, August 20th, and all families are invited to come early and bring picnic basket lunch.

The picture includes J. L. Torrence, Sr., surviving member of original family of thirteen children, his son Elliott Torrence, grandson Dennis Wayne Torrence, and great grandson Zane Torrence.

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